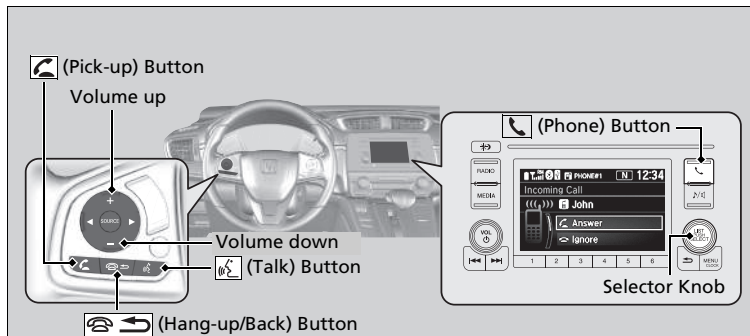Models with color audio system

Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® (HFL) allows you to place and receive phone calls using your vehicle's audio system, without handling your cell phone.

Using HFL

■ HFL Buttons

📞 (Pick-up) Button
Volume up
📱 (Phone) Button
Volume down
🗣 (Talk) Button
📞 (Hang-up/Back) Button
Selector Knob

📞 **(Pick-up) button:** Press to go directly to the phone screen or to answer an incoming call.

📞 **(Hang-up/back) button:** Press to end a call or to cancel a command.

🗣 **(Talk) button:** Press to call a number with a stored voice tag.

📱 **(Phone) button:** Press to go directly to the phone screen.

Selector knob: Rotate 🔘 to select an item on the screen, then press 👆.

>> *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink®

Place your phone where you can get good reception.

To use HFL, you need a *Bluetooth*-compatible cell phone. For a list of compatible phones, pairing procedures, and special feature capabilities:
● U.S.: Visit *automobiles.honda.com/handsfreelink/*, or call 1-888-528 -7876.
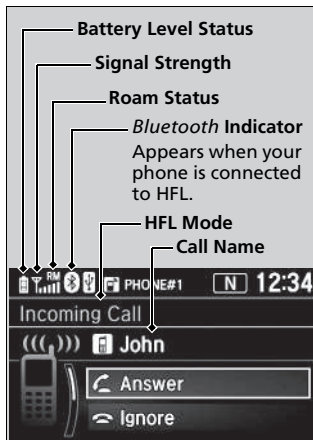
Voice control tips
● Aim the vents away from the ceiling and close the windows, as noise coming from them may interfere with the microphone.
● Press and release the 🗣 button when you want to call a number using a stored voice tag. Speak clearly and naturally after a beep.
● If the microphone picks up voices other than yours, the command may be misinterpreted.

State or local laws may prohibit the operation of handheld electronic devices while operating a vehicle.

Up to 20 speed dial entries can be stored. If there is no entry in the system, Speed Dial is disabled.

Up to 20 call histories can be stored. If there is no call history, Call History is disabled.

Features

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■ HFL Status Display

Battery Level Status

Signal Strength

Roam Status

Bluetooth **Indicator**
Appears when your phone is connected to HFL.

HFL Mode

Call Name

PHONE#1   N 12:34

Incoming Call

((( ))) 🔲 John

📞 Answer

📞 Ignore

The audio/information screen notifies you when there is an incoming call.

■ Limitations for Manual Operation

Certain manual functions are disabled or inoperable while the vehicle is in motion. You cannot select a grayed-out option until the vehicle is stopped.

Only previously stored speed dial entries can be called using voice commands while the vehicle is in motion.

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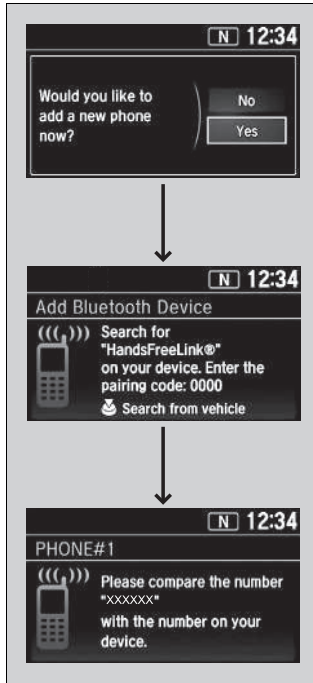
HFL Limitations
An incoming call on HFL will interrupt the audio system when it is playing. It will resume when the call is ended.

≫HFL Status Display

The information that appears on the audio/information screen varies between phone models.

■ Phone Setup

■ To pair a cell phone (No phone has been paired to the system)

1. Press the 📞 button or the 📵 button.
2. Make sure your phone is in search or discoverable mode.
3. Rotate ⟲ to select **Yes**, then press ⟳.
   ▶ The audio system will enter a waiting mode for pairing.

4. Select **HandsFreeLink** from your phone.
   ▶ If you want to pair a phone from this audio system, press ⟳ and follow the prompts.
   When your phone appears on the list, select it by pressing ⟳.

5. The system gives you a pairing code on the audio/information screen.
   ▶ Confirm if the pairing code on the screen and your phone match.
   This may vary by phone.
6. A notification appears on the screen if pairing is successful.

≫ Phone Setup

Your *Bluetooth*-compatible phone must be paired to HFL before you can make and receive hands-free calls.

Phone Pairing Tips:
- You cannot pair your phone while the vehicle is moving.
- Up to six phones can be paired.
- Your phone's battery may drain faster when it is paired to HFL.
- If your phone is not ready to be paired or is not paired within three minutes, the system will time out and return to idle.

Once you have paired a phone, you can see it displayed on the screen with one or two icons on the right side.
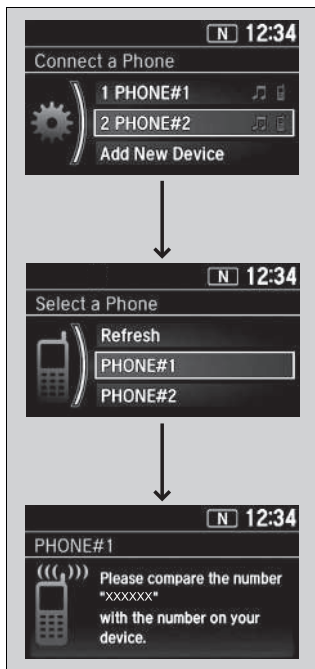These icons indicate the following:
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📶: The phone is compatible with *Bluetooth*® Audio.

When pairing a phone from this audio system:
If your phone doesn't appear on the audio/information screen, select **Refresh** and search for *Bluetooth*® devices using your phone.
From your phone, select **HandsFreeLink**.

Features

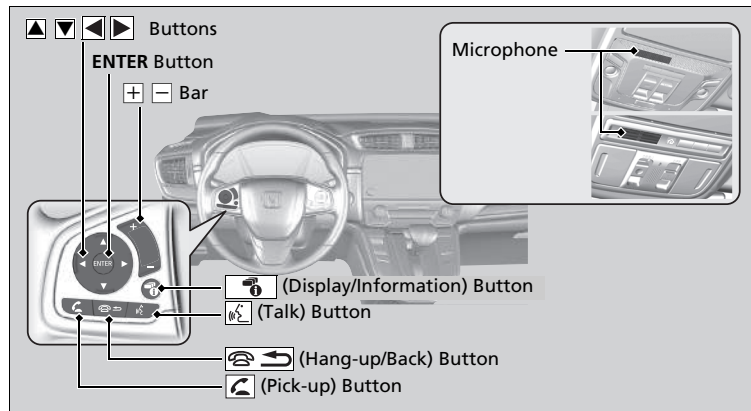■ **To pair a cell phone (when a phone has already been paired to the system)**

1. Press the 📞 button or the 📲 button.

2. Rotate ⊙ to select **Yes**, then press ⊝ .

3. Rotate ⊙ to select **Add New Device**, then press ⊝ .

4. Press ⊝ to select **OK**.
  ▶ The screen changes to device list.

5. Make sure your phone is in search or discoverable mode, then press ⊝ .
  ▶ HFL automatically searches for a *Bluetooth*® device.

6. When your phone appears on the list, select it by pressing ⊝ .
  ▶ If your phone does not appear, select **Refresh** and search for *Bluetooth*® devices using your phone. From your phone, select **HandsFreeLink®**.

7. The system gives you a pairing code on the audio/information screen.
  ▶ Confirm if the pairing code on the screen and your phone match.
    This may vary by a phone.

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Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® (HFL) allows you to place and receive phone calls using your vehicle's audio system, without handling your cell phone.

Using HFL

■ HFL Buttons

△ ▽ ◁ ▷ Buttons

ENTER Button

⊞ ⊟ Bar

Microphone

📞 (Display/Information) Button

🗣 (Talk) Button

📞 ↩ (Hang-up/Back) Button

📞 (Pick-up) Button

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- Canada: For more information on smartphone compatibility, call 1-855-490-7351.

To use the system, the **Bluetooth On/Off Status** setting must be **On**. If there is an active connection to Apple CarPlay™ or Android Auto™, HFL is unavailable.

Voice control tips
- Aim the vents away from the ceiling and close the windows, as noise coming from them may interfere with the microphone.
- Press the 🗣 button when you want to call a number using a stored voice tag. Speak clearly and naturally after a beep.
- If the microphone picks up voices other than yours, the command may be misinterpreted.
- To change the volume level, select the audio system's **VOL** (Volume) or use the remote audio controls on the steering wheel.

Up to three speed dial entries can be displayed among a total of 20 that can be entered.

Up to three previous calls can be displayed at a time among a total of 20 that can be entered. If there is no call history, Call History is disabled.

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📞 **(Pick-up) button:** Press to go directly to the phone menu on the driver information interface, or to answer an incoming call.

☎ 🔙 **(Hang-up/back) button:** Press to end a call, go back to the previous command, or cancel a command.

🗣 **(Talk) button:** Press to access Voice Portal.

▲ ▼ **buttons:** Press to select an item displayed on the phone menu in the driver information interface.

ENTER button: Press to call a number listed in the selected item on the phone menu in the driver information interface.

🔍 **(display/information) button:** Select and press **ENTER** to display **Speed Dial**, **Call History**, or **Phonebook** on the phone menu in the driver information interface.

To go to the **Phone Menu** screen:

1. Select 📱 to switch the display to the phone screen.
2. Select **MENU**.

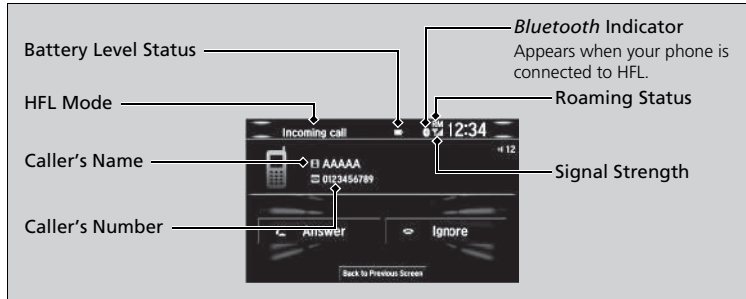▷*Bluetooth®* HandsFreeLink®

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HFL Limitations
An incoming call on HFL will interrupt the audio system when it is playing. It will resume when the call is ended.

■ HFL Status Display

The audio/information screen notifies you when there is an incoming call.

Battery Level Status

HFL Mode

Caller's Name

Caller's Number

Bluetooth Indicator
Appears when your phone is connected to HFL.

Roaming Status

Signal Strength

■ Limitations for Manual Operation

Certain manual functions are disabled or inoperable while the vehicle is in motion. You cannot select a grayed-out option until the vehicle is stopped.

Only previously stored speed dial entries with voice tags, phonebook names, or numbers can be called using voice commands while the vehicle is in motion.

The information that appears on the audio/information screen varies between phone models.

Features

■ Phone Setup

■ To pair a cell phone (when there is no phone paired to the system)

1. Select .
2. Select **Yes**.
3. Make sure your phone is in search or discoverable mode.
4. Select **HandsFreeLink** from your phone.
   ▶ If you want to pair a phone from this audio system, select **HandsFreeLink Not Found**, **Continue**, and then select your phone when it appears on the list. If your phone does not appear, you can select **Refresh** to search again.
5. The system gives you a pairing code on the audio/information screen.
   ▶ Confirm if the pairing code on the screen and your phone match. This may vary by phone.
6. A notification appears on the screen if pairing is successful.
   ▶ You can prioritize a *Bluetooth*® device at the same time. Select **Yes** and then a device you want to prioritize.

≫Phone Setup

Your *Bluetooth*-compatible phone must be paired to the system before you can make and receive hands-free calls.

Phone Pairing Tips:
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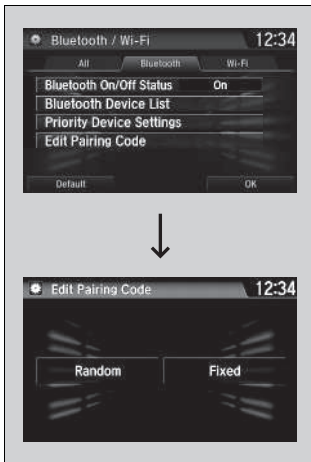These icons indicate the following:
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 : The phone is compatible with *Bluetooth*® Audio.

If there is an active connection to Apple CarPlay™, pairing of additional *Bluetooth*-compatible devices is unavailable.

■ **To change the currently paired phone**
1. Go to the phone settings screen.
2. Select **Bluetooth Device List**.
3. Select a phone to connect.
   ▶ HFL disconnects the connected phone and starts searching for another paired phone.
4. Select **Connect 🎵 📱**, **Connect 📱**, or **Connect 🎵**.

≫To change the currently paired phone

If no other phones are found or paired when trying to switch to another phone, HFL will inform you that the original phone is connected again.

To pair other phones, select **Add Bluetooth Device** from the **Bluetooth Device List** screen.

To change the *Bluetooth*® connection priority device setting, select **Priority Device Settings** from the **Bluetooth Device List** screen.

■ **To change the pairing code setting**
1. Select 🏠.
2. Select **Settings**.
3. Select **Bluetooth / Wi-Fi**.
4. Select the **Bluetooth** tab.
5. Select **Edit Pairing Code**.

≫To change the pairing code setting

The default pairing code is **0000** until you change the setting.
To create your own, select **Fixed**, and delete the current code, then enter a new one.

For a randomly generated pairing code each time you pair a phone, select **Random**.

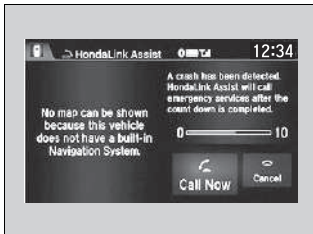6. Select **Random** or **Fixed**.

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■ **To delete a paired phone**

1. Go to the phone settings screen.
2. Select **Bluetooth Device List**.
3. Select a phone you want to delete.

4. Select **Delete**.
5. A confirmation message appears on the screen. Select **Yes**.

Features

■ In Case of Emergency*

■ Automatic collision notification

If your vehicle's airbags deploy or if the unit detects that the vehicle is severely impacted, your vehicle automatically will attempt to connect to the HondaLink operator. If connected, information about your vehicle, its location, and its condition can be sent to the operator*1; you also can speak to the operator when connected.

IMPORTANT: For vehicles equipped with HondaLink Assist, owner activation constitutes authorization for Honda to collect information from your vehicle needed to provide the service, and agreement to the Terms of Use at *www.hondalink.com/TermsAndConditions*. In a crash, HondaLink Assist will attempt to notify emergency services but NEITHER Honda-PRO NOR ITS SERVICE PROVIDERS GUARANTEE THAT SUCH NOTIFICATION WILL OCCUR.

Honda reserves the right to terminate HondaLink Assist services at any time or for any reason, and in the future may not be able to provide services due to changes in, or obsolescence of, technology integral to the service or changes in governmental regulation.

*1: Depending on your phone and adequate cellular coverage, your vehicle's location may not be sent to the operator.

* Not available on all models

❯❯In Case of Emergency*

Your vehicle may not be able to connect to the operator if the battery level is low, the line is disconnected, or you do not have adequate cellular coverage.

You cannot use this emergency service when:
- You travel outside the HondaLink service coverage areas.
- There is a problem with the connecting devices, such as the microphones, speakers, or the unit itself.

You cannot operate other phone-related functions using the screen while talking to the operator. Select **Hang Up** to terminate the connection to your vehicle.

❯❯Automatic collision notification

If the unit fails to connect to the operator, it repeatedly tries until it succeeds.

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■ **To enable notification**
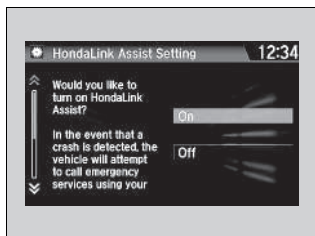
1. Go to the **Phone Settings** screen.
2. Select the **Phone** tab, then **HondaLink Assist**.
   ▶ A pop-up menu appears on the screen.
3. Select **On** or **Off**.

≫To enable notification

Setting options:
• **On:** Notification is available.
• **Off:** Disable the feature.

Features